Program Information

Anoka Technical College Emergency Medical Services (EMS) program graduates are prepared to respond to emergency patient care and may work in diverse environments such as ambulance services, emergency rooms, urgent care facilities, treatment centers, corrections, rescue teams, airports, sports/entertainment centers; or as firefighters, law enforcement, paramedics, 911 dispatchers and more.

Anoka Technical College programs follow the National DOT curriculum and are approved by the State of Minnesota.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Prepare entry level EMS providers to be employable upon . completion
- Provide up-to-date EMS education to all interested parties
- Be a sound, responsible partner to stakeholders in the EMS industry
- Create pathways of transferability to higher level EMS Education Programs
- Manage the finances of the program in a cost-effective, prudent manner

Industry and Career Outlook

EMS provides EMT's to employers in the ambulance, emergency department, and other health care settings in the ancillary healthcare role.

Wage information is available from the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development

Accreditation/Certifications

The EMS program follows the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration curriculum and is approved by the State of Minnesota Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board (EMSRB).

Background Study

Minnesota Law requires that any person who provides services that involve direct contact with patients and/or residents at a health care facility licensed by the Minnesota Department of Health have a background study conducted by the state.

Technical Credits12 MnTC General Education Credits7 Total Credits19

Locations Anoka Technical College

Anoka-Ramsey Community College- Cambridge Campus

Program Start Dates

Fall Semester...... August Spring Semester January

Course Prerequisites

Some courses in this program may require a prerequisite. Please see course descriptions for more details.

Program Sequence

First Semester	
□ EMED 1113	Emergency Medical Technician 14
□ EMED 1114	Emergency Medical Technician 25
□ HLTH 1040	Medical Terminology2
OR	
□ BIOL 1102*	Medical Terminology2
Second Semester7	
□ BIOL 1106	Principles of Biology (Goal 2&3)4
OR	
□ BIOL 1106*	Principles of Biology I (Goal 3) 4
□ HLTH 1110	Introduction to ECG's1
□ MnTC General Education Speech course (Goal 1)	
*These courses are offered at ARCC Cambridge Campus	

Graduation Requirements

All courses required for this program must be completed with a grade of C or higher.

Faculty Contact

For information on how to apply, to schedule a tour, or for service during summer hours, contact Enrollment Services at 763-576-7710 or EnrollmentServices@anokatech.edu

Also see Emergency Medical Technician certificate and Paramedic AAS

